



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. : 10/731,925  
For : Resins and Diluents for Use in Single Component Low  
Volatile Organic Content Paints, Primers and Coatings  
Applicant : Karim M. Gabriel  
Filed : Dec. 9, 2003  
Art Unit : 1712  
Examiner : Kuo Liang Peng  
Confirmation No. : 6666  
Docket : GAB02U  
Customer No. : 32047

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT A**

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2005. A petition for a three-month extension of time along with form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment of the fee therefore is enclosed herewith to extend the term for response from June 1, 2005 to September 1, 2005.

Reexamination and reconsideration is requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.